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Our Established Policy Excellently Endorsed By Mission Beach Company

Generous recognition and very valued approval have been accorded our announcement of the publication of a fine SOUVENIR EDITION on May 30, marking the inauguration of the great new amusement center at MISSION BEACH.

Our many esteemed friends and patrons as well as numerous leaders in the business world of San Diego are rapidly receiving advertising space in the enlarged **Souvenir Edition** to be issued on Decoration Day and widely circulated among the thousands who will attend the grand opening of the new **Mission Beach** amusement resort.

The following highly appreciated endorsement cheers us mightily in the pursuit of our established policy of consistent and persistent boosting of the beach districts:

MISSION BEACH COMPANY
Owners and Developers
MISSION BEACH

San Diego, Calif., May 8, 1925.

Mr. Kirk Smith,
Editor "The Beach News."

My Dear Mr. Smith:

As the time approaches for the opening of our Amusement Center at Mission Beach we wish to take this opportunity of thanking you for the very consistent co-operation you have rendered us in promoting the good feeling that exists along the ocean front, including Ocean Beach, Mission Beach, and Pacific Beach.

We believe that this feeling is very essential for the best interests of the development of this section, and if the co-operation in sentiment as well as action continues, the future of the beaches is beyond any question of a doubt.

Yours very truly,
BARNEY & RIFE, Sales Agents,
MISSION BEACH COMPANY.
By GEO. L. BARNEY.

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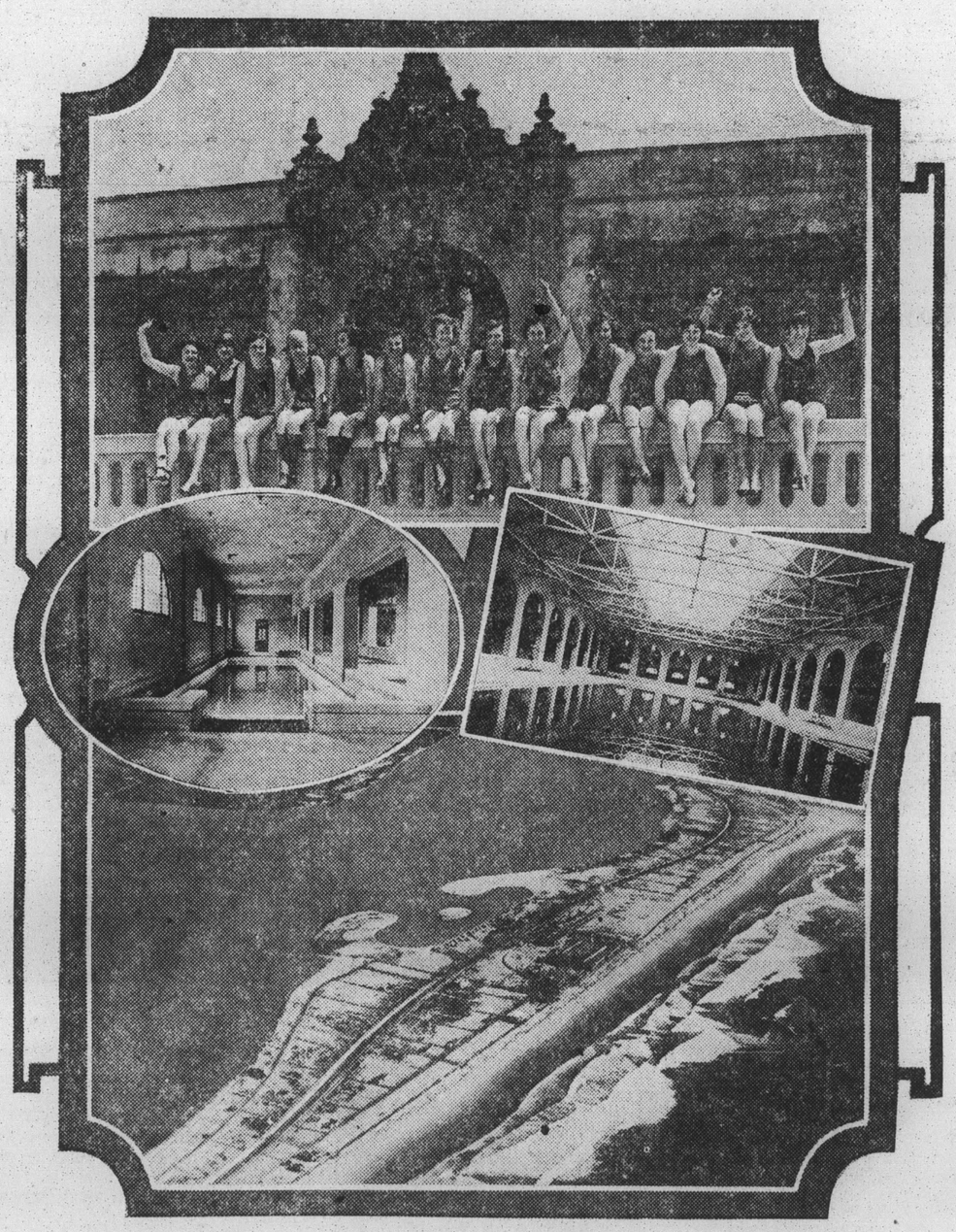
Some recent views taken at San Diego's new seaside pleasure resort, MISSION BEACH. Ot the top is a group of Bathing Girls sunning themselves on the Seawall in front of the Bath House; left center, the Kiddies' Pool, and right center, the Main Plunge; at bottom, an air view of Mission Beach, one of the fastest growing communities in the metropolitan district of San Diego.



'Come On In—The Water Is Fine'

Mission Beach News Notes

By MRS. F. G. GREENFIELD
726 Ormond Court
Special Representative
For "The Beach News."

J. C. Gaffney of the N. Y. Central lines, who has been visiting his niece, Mrs. C. A. Chappell on Portsmouth court, has returned east very much impressed with Southern California. He intends to close up his business relations and return here permanently.

Mr. and Mrs. George Crane are building a new house on San Jose Place and intend to live there.

Mrs. C. B. Sundberg, who has been visiting her sister, Mrs. F. G. Greenfield for the past two months, has left for Hollywood and points north on to her home in Dallas, Ore. She was very much impressed with Mission Beach and voiced her opinion that it was one of the finest beaches she had ever seen. Before leaving she purchased two valuable lots, showing her faith in the growth and valuation of Beach property in Southern California.

Al. Slusher of Portland, Ore., a prominent Pendleton, Ore., rancher, called on the Greenfields last week. He intends to locate here.

Fred Hamilton, manager of the Benson Lumber Company, has rented a cottage for a year on Ocean board walk.

Mr. and Mrs. D. H. Shede of 3801 Board Walk, entertained Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Brode and family, from Fallbrook over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. F. Maritz of St. Louis, Mo., have rented Miss Bartley's cottage on Ocean boulevard.

Jesse Boyce, formerly state auditor of Phoenix, Ariz., visited the J. D. McCoys last week.

Joseph Saplin of San Ysidro is building a fine, seven-unit court in Mission Beach, which shows his faith in the great growth of our community.

Mr. and Mrs. George Schultz are building a cottage in the rear of their home on Santa Clara place.

One of the most prepossessing buildings on Mission boulevard is our new postoffice, a fine two-story tile and stucco structure, with two modern apartments above two large stores. Postmaster Challand is to be congratulated upon the construction of such a fine building.

Mr. and Mrs. Jesse Teal and daughter, Lila Mae, motored from San Bernardino recently. Mr. Teal will locate in business here, as they intend to make this their home. They visited the F. G. Greenfields on Ormond court last Sunday.

Harry K. Turner, on Verona court, has been at home slightly indisposed for several days.

Mr. and Mrs. Edward Beals have moved into their fine new home on Ormond court, where they will be at home to their many friends.

A number of new members have joined the M. B. Chamber of Commerce and they are all anticipating the regular meetings for Beach improvements and pleasure that will be held the third Tuesday of each month.

The executive committee of the Mission Beach Chamber of Commerce has decided upon a plan to be adopted regulating the traffic congestion on the Beach. A large sign at the south entrance pointing out that all northbound vehicles are to park on the right side only of Bayside lane, or the east side of Beach. The same type of sign to be also placed at the north entrance stating that all southbound vehicles are to park only on the right side of Strand way or the west side of Beach. This petition is ready for the city council to O. K. and we are all anticipating clear thoroughfares through the issuance and strict adherence to this ordinance.

The improvement commissioner of the Mission Beach Chamber of Commerce held a meeting at the home of Harry Turner on Verona court last Friday evening. The final hearing about electric standards for the Beach was heard. A decision made unanimously for the beautiful Hollywood design of steel1bronze antique sixteen feet in height and guaranteed for twenty years.

Ray E. Challand, a prominent and progressive young man of Mission Beach has been promoted to the position of assistant manager of the South Coast Lumber Company.

Mr. B. C. Sutton is building a home for his family at 801 Whiting court, where they will be at home this summer.

O. B. LIBRARY

"Why Not Take Home Some Music?" is the subject of the poster on exhibit at the O. B. Branch Library this week. The following music is for circulation and the librarian is pleased to fill requests from the main library: "Piano Album," Dvorak; Schubert Sonatas, Chopin Complete Works, Vol. IV; Brahms Pianoforte, Beethoven Sonatas, "Famous Composers and Their Works," Thomas; Hayden, "Twenty Sonatas;" Chaminade, "Seventeen Pieces for Piano;" Mendelssohn, "Six Pieces;" "Rigoletto," Verdi; La Triveata," Verdi; "Family Music Book." "Etude," Music Magazine also circulates.

THE BEAUTY SHOP
Phone Point Loma 193.

ANOTHER CHANCE FOR NEW LIBRARY MISSED BY OCEAN BEACH

The recent loss of the library bonds owing to the apathy of voters hasn't deterred the University Heights folks from getting a branch soon. This week the council appropriated $20,000 for a building and equipment as well as for new books at East San Diego and the maintenance of the Heights library. The appropriation has been added on the new tax rate, while Ocean Beach and Logan Heights which also were to have received new branch libraries under the bond issue, will go without indefinitely.

MORE LAWS AND MORE TAXES

The California State Legislature has finally adjourned and left in its wake a thousand and one new bills.

Think of it! A thousand and one more laws and a large number of them involving increased taxation and the employment of more officials at public expense.

Don't Miss "LOMA LORE" series

SCIOTS TO HOLD "SALT WATER CEREMONIAL" AT MISSION BEACH

A preview of the magnificent new bathhouse at Mission Beach will be afforded on Wednesday evening, May 27, when the Sciots will hold a rollicking "Salt Water Ceremonial" in and around the palatial bathing plunge. Headed by the famous Sciots band, arrangements are being made for hundreds upon hundreds of the fraternity and their friends to journey over the high-speed electric railway to the splendid new pleasure resort, congregating at the great palace of swim, where merriment will reign supreme. The committee in charge has devised all sorts of stunts and the program promises to be exceptionally novel and sensational.

"DOLLING UP" IN BUSINESS SECTION

In preparation for the opening on Decoration Day (May 30) of the spring and summer season at the Beaches quite a number of business houses are putting on new holiday attire. The hardware store of H. H. Reid & Son and Kraft's Drug Store on diagonally opposite corners of Bacon street and Newport avenue, have been freshly painted in striking colors. The Reid hardware building blossoms brilliantly in crimson and black, with conspicuous roof signs in blue and white. The electrical headquarters of Cecil O. Carl in the same building are adorned in similar colors, the whole effect being very attractive. Kraft's drug store has been painted a pleasing cream color, trimmed in buff, making a very inviting appearance.

Try our Classified Ads, for Quick Results—Only a dime a line, five words to the line, payable in advance.

Please mention The Beach News in your dealings with the patrons of our advertising columns.

Ocean Theatre

BIG SPECIALS BOOKED FOR NEXT WEEK

A splendid attraction has been secured by Manager Ray Ericsson for next Tuesday only when Bert Lyttell and Betty Compson will be seen in "To Have and to Hold." For tomorrom (Sunday) "The Red Lily" will bring forth famous stars with the addition of the Jack Dempsey series, while the big mid-week special will be Zane Grey's greatest story, "The Thundering Head," which has gained the reputation of being a finer picture than the famous "North of 36." Don't miss it at the advertised feature prices.

CONSTRUCTION WORK PLANNED IMMEDIATELY FOR NEW THEATER BUILDING

Manager Ray Ericcson states that arrangements have been made for the immediate construction of his new theater on Newport avenue about midway between Bacon street and the fire engine house. It is expected that ground will be broken today and the new structure will be rushed to completion. It will be named the Strand Theater and will probably be ready for occupancy in July. There will be two stores and two apartments in addition to the theater on a plot 50x140 feet.

WE CIRCULATE

JOHN KIDWELL BUYS SMITH'S SHOE SHOP

The shoe repair shop formerly conducted by J. T. Smith on Newport avenue, near Bacon street was bought this week by John Kidwell, who also purchased the buildings and lot, 25x140, on a cash basis of $3,250. Mr. Kidwell is an experienced shoemaker and comes direct from Lawrenceburg, Ind., being accompanied by his nephew, Chester Kidwell, who will remain on an extended visit. Mr. Kidwell announces that he will continue the shoe repair business and will add several modern appliances to the well-equipped service department. Future plans may call for the construction of a fine, two-story building with apartments above the business place.

EDUCATION WEEK

SPECIAL DAYS SET FOR INTERESTING PROGRAMS AT PUBLIC SCHOOLS

Nevt week from May 11 to 16, inclusive, meetings will be held throughout the state at the various schools in celebration of Public School Week. Interesting programs have been arranged and entertaining speakers will tell o fthe work of the present day public school system, emphasizing the great value not only to the individual pupil, but to the community of a full public school education. Striking facts relative to the cost, development and purpose of the present day system will be presented.

The meeting will be held Wednesday evening, May 13, at 7:30 p. m. Hon. Herbert A. Croghan will be the principal speaker. At Loma Portal school on Tuesday, May 12, at 7:30 p. m. there will be held the meeting of the parents of the pupils attending that school. And on Friday, May 15, at the same hour, Point Loma school will hold its meeting. Attorney Harry P. Sweet and Roy Harris will be the principal speakers at Loma Portal and Point Loma school meetings respectively.

All parents are particularly invited by the P.-T. A. to attend the entertainments during next week.

REMEMBER YOUR MOTHER
And order her a box of Candy now for Mothers' Day, May 10, at KRAFT'S Drug Store.

ANOTHER ROADWAY FOR MISSION BAY BRIDGE ASSURES SAFETY

At the regular monthly meeting of the O. B. Chamber of Commerce a resolution was unanimously passed requesting the city council to endorse and further the building of an additional roadway on the Mission Bay bridge, which is now undergoing repairs and improvement. The new roadway is asked to be added to the westerly side of the bridge and would require only the addition of a ten or twelve foot highway with the necessary stretch of piling for solidarity and safety. The extra roadway would give a right-hand drive through Mission Beach and over the bridge on the direct route to San Diego, with the elimination of all grade crossings, while at the present time the tracks have to be crossed at each end of the bridge.

SHERWIN-WILLIAMS PAINTS—San Diego prices—O. B. Feed, Fuel and Express, 1926 Bacon St. Phone Pt. Loma 20-W.

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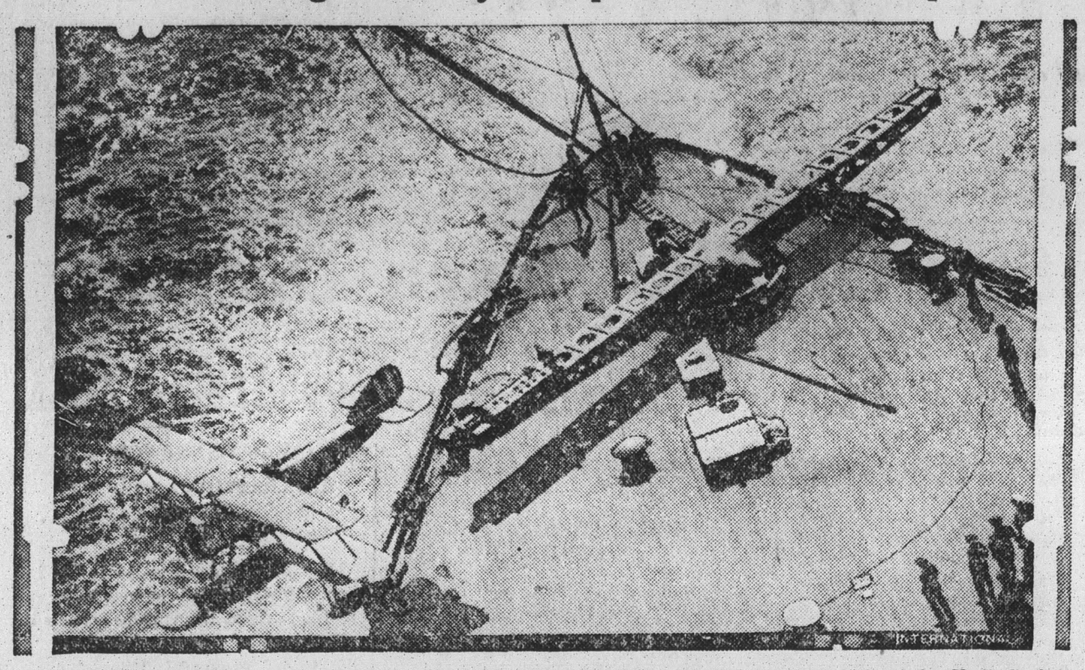
Launching Plane by Catapult From Battleship



The above photograph was snapped just as a plane was launched by catapult from the deck of the U. S. S. California, near San Diego, where the vessel was preparing to take part in the naval maneuvers at Hawaii.

"Arson" by Bureau of Standards for a Test

Unusual, is it not, to see a group of husky men stand back and watch a house burn? But it was only a test made at the bureau of standards in Washington with a so-called fireproof building filled with safes, filing cabinets and some combustible material, to determine just how much fire and heat they would stand.

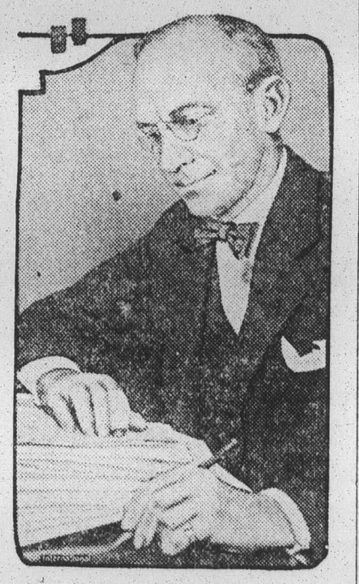
Chance for Patriotic Children

Photograph of a painting of "Old Ironsides," the U. S. S. Constitution, which captured the Guerriere in 1812. The secretary of the navy has been authorized to accept contributions for the reconditioning of the Constitution, and has suggested that every school child in the United States donate three cents for its preservation.

Their Hair Mustn't Be Too Long

Under a new navy rule tars have to keep their hair "shingled" no longer than 1½ inches on top. This photograph shows Admiral L. R. Robison, commander-in-chief of the United States fleet, inspecting the crew of the U. S. S. California, giving their haircuts and personal appearance a close scrutiny.

OIL INDUSTRY LEADER



F. H. Wickett of Chicago has been made executive head of the huge Pan-American oil interests taken over by the Standard Oil Company of Indiana from Edward L. Doheny. Mr. Wickett is fifty-seven years of age, was born in England of very poor parents, his family emigrating to St. Thomas, Ont., Canada, when he was three years old. He was reared on a farm, finished grammar school, and then entered a lawyer's office. Later he became interested in the oil industry and his rise was rapid.

WAR WITH INSECTS

Dr. L. O. Howard, chief of the bureau of entomology of the Department of Agriculture, declares a new war threatens the world. He asserts that the battle is between man and insect; between intelligence and natural ability to live under almost any conditions.

Daddy's Evening Fairy Tale

BY MARY GRAHAM BONNER

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JOHN'S WATCH

John's daddy had gone away on a business trip. He had been very busy but before he started for home he found the time to go shopping for John.

John Hugged His Daddy.

He bought him some books and—he bought him a watch!

Of course it was not a tremendously expensive watch, but what did that matter! It was a watch, a real watch, and a good watch and it went far better than many of its more aristocratic and proud watch relatives.

John had never owned a watch but he had learned to tell the time so a watch would be very useful for him to have. He would know what time it was any time he looked at his watch, and that would be extremely helpful.

Before he had always had to ask some one what the time was, if there didn't happen to be a clock around.

Now he would be able to tell himself.

Now there lived in that watch, just as there lives in every watch and clock, a set of Tick-Tock Twins. The Tick-Tock family is a large one and all the younger ones are twins.

The Tick-Tock Twins in John's new watch were quite excited to think that they were going to be owned by a boy of five and a half.

You know the Tick-Tock Twins all talk in just the same way. After all, that is natural enough. People in a family often talk alike, but particularly so do the members of the Tick-Tock family.

They say their own names after every other word they speak.

If they are saying it is a nice day they take turns in using the words to make up that sentence and after each one has used a word they use one of their own names. I shall tell you again how they do it.

"It-tick-is-tock - a - tick-nice-tock-day-tick."

Now they were talking about going to see John.

They had heard his daddy talking to the man in the shop when buying the watch and they could see that John's daddy was interested in getting a watch for John, which made the Twins decide at once that John must be very fine.

His daddy was so much interested in him.

They went along with the watch which was carried in John's daddy's pocket.

This is the way they talked.

"I-tick-wonder-tock-what - tick - John-tock-will-tick-be-tock-like-tick."

"I-tick-wonder-tock-too-tick.

"We-tick-both-tock-wonder-tick."

They had a pleasant journey.

They were wound up each night and at last they arrived at John's house, all the time having traveled in John's daddy's pocket.

John hugged his daddy very hard. In fact his daddy said:

"Not too hard, John, you may break something!"

"What, daddy?" cried John excitedly.

For there had been something in the tone of his daddy's voice which had made John know that there was a special present somewhere on his daddy.

"Perhaps you can hear it," John's daddy said.

"A watch!" cried John at last.

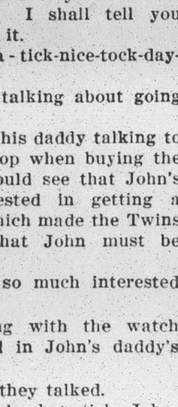
"Oh, oh, isn't it wonderful, daddy."

Now you can imagine how happy the Tick-Tock Twins were to hear that.

Now they knew they were liked and that they would be very happy.

They would not be allowed to run down, but would be wound up regularly. That alone gave them comfort. The Tick-Tock Twins dread being allowed to run down.

They were delighted at John's delight.



"A Watch," Cried John.

"How it does tick," John said.

For the words—other than their own names—the Tick-Tock Twins used couldn't have been heard very well, though what they were really saying was:

"He-tick-likes - tock-us-tick-and-tock-we-tick-like-tock-him-tick-too-tock."

Choice of Evils

"Bobby," said the teacher, sternly, "do you know that you have broken the eighth Commandment by stealing James' apple?"

"Well," explained Bobby, "I might just as well break the eighth and have the apple as break the tenth and only covet it."—Stray Stories.

Simple Homemade Battery Charger

Construction and Operation Is Not So Difficult, According to Writer.

By C. M. DE LANO

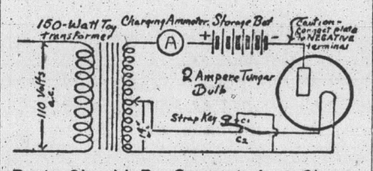
The construction and operation of a simple as well as moderate-priced storage battery charger is not so difficult. Its outstanding features include the facts that with this device a six-ampere charge can be applied to the storage battery through the medium of a single two-ampere Tungar tube, and also that the tube filament is in series with the storage battery, thus obviating the necessity for a specially constructed transformer having a filament supply winding distinct from the charging current winding.

Apparatus Required.

The apparatus required follows:

One 150-watt toy transformer of the tapped type; one two-ampere Tungar bulb rated 12 amperes at two and three-tenths volts; one standard porcelain base lamp receptacle; one strap-type telegraph key having contacts on both upper and lower sides which will pass five or six amperes continuously; one battery-charging ammeter; one asbestos panel about 12 by 14 inches, and a few feet of scrap wire for connections.

Reference to the sketch will show that the filament terminals are connected across the 14-volt taps on the transformer. Inasmuch as the bulb is rated at but 2.3 volts, the question may arise, "Why use the 14-volt pressure across the filament terminals?" Actual experience indicates that when the transformer current is first applied to the filament terminals considerably more than the rated voltage must be impressed across the filament terminals of the Tungar bulb in order to start same; this is where the strap key, which is used as a starting switch, comes in; normally the contact is continuous at C1 in the attached diagram; however, when it is desired to start the charger the key



Parts Should Be Connected as Shown in Diagram.

is depressed so that the contact at C1 is broken, and in its stead contact is momentarily made at C2. This contact should be for just long enough to light the filament, after which time the filament will remain lighted until the circuit supplying it is opened; simultaneously with this the charger is, by the way, operating automatically. Should, by any chance, the filament not remain in operation when the key contact at C2 is broken, the process of depressing the key should be repeated until the tube does remain lighted, which indicates that the charger is operating.

Action of Strap Key.

Reference to the diagram makes it apparent that the strap key acts as a filament short-circuiting switch, and experience proves that it is desirable, though not absolutely necessary, to short-circuit the filament terminals as soon as the charging action is started; the reason for this lies in the fact that the filament operates at an extreme temperature and if all the filament current is passed through but one of the supporting prongs it is kept at too hot a temperature, whereas if the terminals are short-circuited the heating current which, please note, is also the charging current, is divided, and consequently the prongs operate at a lower temperature, and with consequent less danger of cracking the bulb through overheating.

The writer has a charging outfit of this kind which has been in use for over two years and is used to charge both radio and auto batteries; to date the original bulb operates as well as when new.—Radio Journal.

Several Methods for Graining Your Panel

There are several methods for graining a panel. The first and simplest is the use of No. 000 sandpaper. This is rubbed across the panel in straight, steady strokes until every portion seems to have a dull grained finish. It then may be rubbed with an oily rag. Care should be taken not to use too much oil, as this will tend to collect dust and make the panel a high-resistance conductor. Another method is the use of powdered pumice stone and a piece of cloth. This is prepared in the same manner as the first method. Emery cloth should never be employed for this purpose, as it tends to scratch the panel too deep.

Condensers

The fixed condensers in a receiving set should have mica dielectrics for best results. Do not use condensers in which the dielectric is paraffined paper. For the best operation of a set it is important to use the condenser of the proper capacity for the part of the circuit it is in.

Enemies of Efficiency

A few specks of dust between the variable condenser plates or on the coils, loose connections and rundown batteries lower the range of many sets. Generally the troublesome squeals and howls in a radio set are caused by little things which go unnoticed and seem unimportant.

Community Building

Lightning Rods Urged for Tree Protection

Trees with wide-spreading root systems or with roots that reach deep into moist soil are relatively good electrical conductors and, generally speaking, are in most danger of being struck by lightning, says the weather bureau of the United States Department of Agriculture. The rodding of valuable trees to protect against lightning is therefore strongly recommended.

No tree is immune; but among trees of the same kind the one standing well above its neighbors is in most danger, even in a dense forest. This may be due to the greater height of the tree or the kind of ground it stands on. Trees growing in the open are in more danger than those in a thick stand of timber, as are also those growing along an avenue or border of woods. Those growing in moist soil along the banks of a stream or lake are better conductors for lightning than those growing in drier soil. Sound trees in general are less likely to be damaged than those with rotten wood.

Trees growing in loam and sandy soils are struck more frequently than those in clay, marl and calcareous soils. Oaks often grow to great height and mostly in loam and sandy soils. Moreover, they are a good example of a starchy tree, which is a better conductor of electricity than an oily tree like the beech. The oak also is a tap-rooted tree, with its root system extending deep into the soil, which constitutes another factor of danger from lightning for it. Studies in various localities, particularly in western Europe, have shown conclusively that the oak is struck much more often than other kinds of trees.

Elm, ash, poplar and gum trees are also very susceptible to lightning damage, while those least attractive to lightning are the chestnut, maple, alder, and mountain ash, according to the bureau.

Garden Wall Should Resemble the House

It is usually best to have a garden wall of the same material as the house, whether it is of stone, stucco or brick. For the frame house, the wall may appropriately be of cobbles, a delicate lattice, a paneled "board" fence surmounted by lattice, a picket fence or a hedge.

There are of necessity several gates. Where the wall is masonry, a hooded gateway is quaint and attractive. In the hedge nothing could be more pleasing than a trellised arch with a painted gate made of porch balusters. The design of wooden gateways is limited only by the ingenuity and imagination of the home owner.

The rule for a wood pergola is to set the columns as far apart both ways as they are high. The usual wood for exterior woodwork is white pine, as it is very weather-resistant. The fact that garden woodwork must be properly painted and kept so need hardly be emphasized. That paint protection is necessary for the mere preservation of these articles constantly exposed to the weather is well demonstrated by the ordinary unpainted telegraph pole, which is a sight familiar to us all. White will always be the favored color for outdoor woodwork, though green and brown are appropriate, and have greater durability.

Knocker Never Popular

The knocker may have his place in the scheme of things. We are willing to admit that he has. The knocker does some good, in that he points out the weak places in his victim's armor and the victim thus is in a position to make amends. But the long funeral processions are never lined up behind the dead knocker. People who think kindly and speak kindly of their fellows, who have a sympathy for the shortcomings of others and who try to help rather than to knock further down those who may make a mistake, are those who draw men to themselves and who will be missed and mourned when they are gone.—Exchange.

Betterment Called For

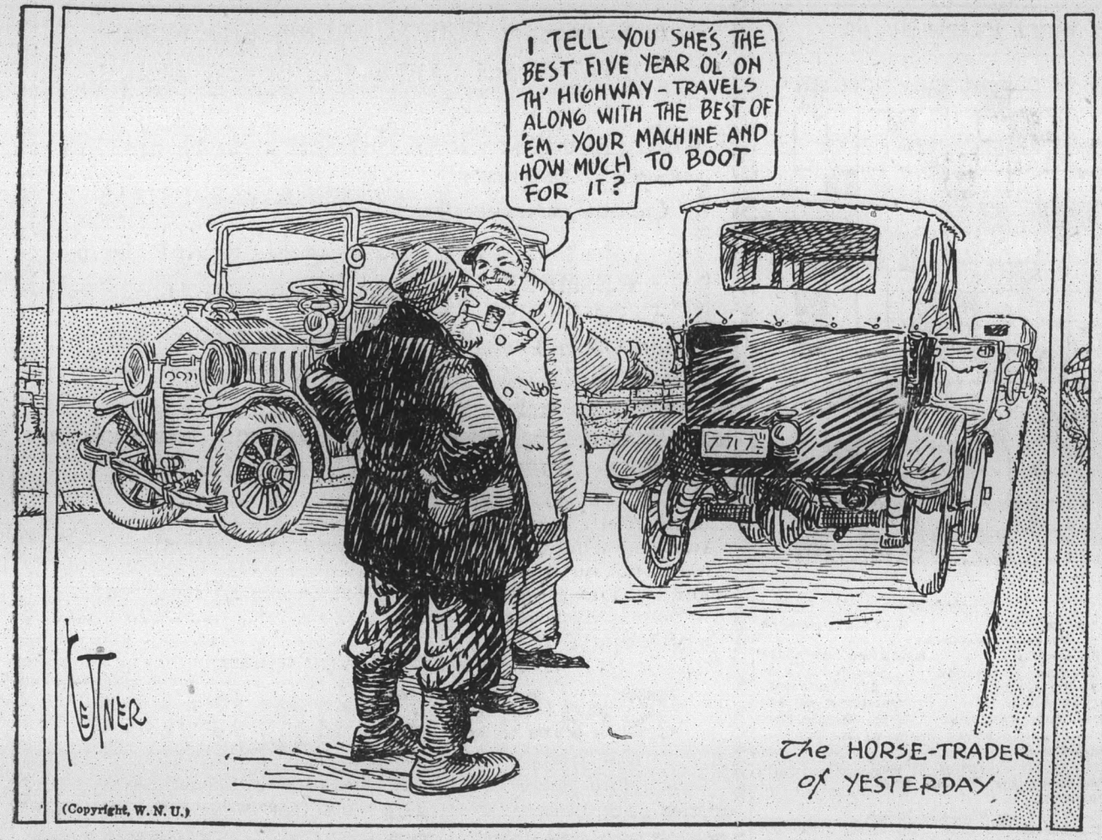
It may be predicted that the time will come when there will be a lively emulation for betterment among villages of this country, especially in the West. The pioneer days are over. The time is past when any habitable place was acceptable as a home, when the impulse was to regard a home merely as a temporary abode. The country has become stabilized. Villages and towns have taken on permanency, and with it they should develop and define distinctive characteristics. Efforts in this direction can be made to pay. They make for better values in property and in happiness.

Urges Railway Cleanup

Holding that the unkempt appearance of railroad rights of way in American cities makes an unfavorable impression on all persons entering them or passing through, the National Association of Real Estate Boards, at its annual meeting at Dallas, Texas, recommended to all member boards that they appoint strong and active committees to work in co-operation with railroads and industries and with civic bodies to the end that the railroad rights of way shall be converted into attractive city entrances.

OUR COMIC SECTION

Along the Concrete


I TELL YOU SHE'S THE BEST FIVE YEAR OL' ON TH' HIGHWAY - TRAVELS ALONG WITH THE BEST OF 'EM - YOUR MACHINE AND HOW MUCH TO BOOT FOR IT?
KETTNER
The HORSE-TRADER of YESTERDAY
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MICKIE, THE PRINTER'S DEVIL — A Large Job

BE QUIET, WILL YOU?
I'M PRACTISIN' FER TH' SHOT PUT
OH — GO A-LONG MULE —
LAY OFF! I HEAR THAT SONG OVER TH' RADIO EVERY NIGHT!
SOME SAY WE WILL SOON HAVE GOVERNMENT CONTROL OF EVERYTHING
BOSS, (PUFF) HOW MANY TIMES AROUND TH' ROOM IS 100 YARDS?
ALL I GOTTA SAY IS, IT WILL SURE HAVE ITS HANDS FULL WITH YOU!
I DONT CARE! I DONT CARE!
CHAPIN SOGHOIAN
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WHAT'S THE USE — It's Expensive to Be Tight

EXTRA! EXTRA! ALL ABOUT THE - BRA - LAH - AH
WHAT! 15¢ FOR AN EXTRA? IT'S ROBBERY! I WOULDN'T PAY IT! I'LL WAIT UNTIL THE REGULAR 3¢ EDITION COMES OUT
EXTRA
I'D LIKE TO KNOW WHAT IT'S ALL ABOUT, BUT HANGED IF I'LL PAY 15¢ FOR AN EXTRA
?
EXTRA
HE WAS TRYIN' TO READ THE OTHER GENT'S PAPER AN' THEY GOT INTO A FIGHT
I'LL FINE YOU EACH $15.00
$15.00! GEE-HOSEY-FAT! THAT WOULD HAVE BOUGHT 100 EXTRAS
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MAN NEAR PERFECT "STATE OF HEALTH"

Mortality Rate Steadily Being Lowered.

It is probable that civilized man in the Twentieth century is not only healthier than any other human being that ever lived, with the possible exception of a few happy-go-lucky savage tribes living in lands of plenty, but that he is the first civilized man who ever attained anything like a state of health, is the comment made by Robert L. Duffus, in the Century Magazine.

The proof is in death and mortality rates. At the beginning of the century, in the United States registration area, the death rate was 17.6 a thousand, in 1921 it was 11.6 and though it rose to 12.6 during 1923, its general tendency is still downward.

In New York city the rate dropped from 20.26 in 1898 to 11.72 in 1923. Infant mortality in New York city was reduced during the same period from 205 a thousand to 63. Death rates are, of course, an average between extremes. In the cities of Mississippi in 1923 the rate was 20.3 a thousand; in the rural districts of Iowa 6.5 a thousand; among large groups of insurance policy holders, 8.9 a thousand.

As hygienic knowledge spreads, the average will naturally tend to approach the minimum. But even now medical science in the United States may be credited with saving at least one-half million lives yearly that twenty-five years ago would have been lost.

The baby born in 1900 had a life expectation of about forty-nine years; now it may count on living, with reasonable luck, seven years longer. Certain diseases, as everyone knows, have been almost wiped out. The death rate from typhoid has been reduced nearly 80 per cent, that from tuberculosis nearly 50 per cent. Yellow fever, typhus, malaria, diabetes, the hookworm disease, diphtheria and scarlet fever are wiped out or under control.

Surgery of all descriptions has made remarkable advances. New drugs have been found which alleviate suffering and promote recovery; in fact, it may almost be said that a new medical chemistry has developed.

More and more the treatment of disease is an exact science, with predictable results.

The modern physician is almost as far ahead of the practitioner of the eighties as the latter was ahead of an Indian medicine man. Good roads, the motor car and modern methods of sanitary organization have made the new knowledge accessible even in remote regions.

Bananas Grow in Favor

The import record of 1924, says the Trade Record of the National City bank of New York, shows a larger number of bananas entering the United States than in any earlier year, and the sum paid therefor also the largest on record. The total value of the bananas imported was $22,674,000 against $16,398,000 ten years ago in the fiscal year 1914, and $7,710,000 twenty years ago in the fiscal year 1904. Originally a native of the Malayan archipelago, the banana was introduced to tropical America, especially the Caribbean countries, in the early days of the development of that area. Its importance as a food supply attracted attention in the United States, and a very large sum of American capital has been invested in its development, and that of the railways by which it is transported to the water's edge, the steamships which bring it to our ports, and the especially constructed railway cars and warehouses by which it is distributed the country over. The number of bananas consumed in the United States now approximates 6,000,000,000, since the 47,000,000 bunches imported last year are estimated to average about 125 bananas to a bunch.

Lotta's Esprit

"'Lotta left a lot o' money."

An actor was talking about the famous Lotta Crabtree, who bequeathed her $4,000,000 estate to charity. He chuckled and went on:

"Lotta was funny to the end. I asked her one day to buy some oil shares—I was interested in oil at the time—and she said if she did that she'd be as ignorant as the old lady.

"'An old lady,' she said, 'was visited by a young art student just back from Paris.

"'"Here's a French franc, ma'am." said the art student, "that I've brought you from Paris as a souvenir."

"'The old lady looked at the coin and frowned.

"'"Oh, shucks," she said. "I'd rather ye'd brought me one o' them there Latin quarters."'"

Rats in Fatal Tangle

A group of fair-sized rats was the first thing that Rev. Olney I. Darling of Warren saw when he opened his hencoop, and instead of a mad scramble at his intrusion, the rats were unable to get away. Upon investigation, Mr. Darling found their tails so tangled together that they could not free themselves. The rats had entered the coop through a hole, but the last one had not been able to negotiate the opening. Some one ventured the suggestion that the rats had tangled their tails together so they could gain more power to pull the unfortunate one through the hole. Before killing the pests, the minister called his housekeeper so that he might have a witness to corroborate his story.—Boston Globe.

MAN COMES HOME AFTER BODY WAS BURIED AS HIS

Corpse Claimed as Father and Husband Proves That of Woman.

New Orleans.—The family of Frank Muller, Sr., reported to the police recently that they were mourning his death after having buried what they thought was his body, when he walked into his home, and hardly had that mystery been settled when the coroner announced that a body recovered from the Mississippi river and identified by one man as his father and by a wife as her husband was really that of a woman.

Frank Muller, Sr., a man of fifty-six years, had been separated from his wife for some five years, and when the body of a man about his age and bearing papers with the name "Frank Miller" was discovered in a gas-filled room, Muller's son and wife identified it and gave it burial.

Read of His Funeral.

Muller read of the funeral in the newspapers and went home to tell the family he was still alive. The mystery of "Frank Miller's" identity remains unsolved, except that the rooming-house keeper said she heard him say he was from California.

Muller's Son and Wife Identify It.

The other body, which apparently had been in the water for months, was found floating in the river here, and Charles W. Burdette, Jr., whose father, according to police records, jumped into the river here May 27, 1924, identified it by a belt buckle and false teeth.

Body That of Woman.

Mrs. John Fisher visited the morgue later in the day and said it was the body of her husband, who disappeared January 28 last.

Then Dr. E. J. de Bergeau, assistant coroner and a physician for an insurance company, decided to investigate and discovered the remains were those of a woman. Police have no record of any woman disappearing here.

Cult Priestess Jailed for Burning Sacrifice

Kitchener, Ont.—Anna Reynolds, reputed priestess of a cult known as "the faith of the holy light," was taken into custody charged with having presided over a weird midnight ceremonial at Bluevale, Ont., in which ten hogs were sacrificed as "an offering to devilish spirits."

Constable P. C. Whiteside arrested her on the charge that she was "insane and dangerous to be at large." Earl Underwood, who furnished the hogs and who told authorities he "would do anything Anna Reynolds said to do," was held for questioning.

The woman, a professional nurse, came from Toronto to the Underwood farm to attend Mrs. Underwood during an illness. Underwood's story is that she ordered him to build a great pyre of logs. Then she ordered that ten of the farmer's choicest hogs be trussed upon the pyre. At midnight the priestess ignited the pyre and as the blaze mounted she made queer gestures and uttered strange incantations.

Napping Caddy's Head Used as Golf Tee

Pensacola, Fla.—Use of his head as a tee sent Johnnie Gates, fifteen-year-old negro caddy at the Pensacola Country club, to the hospital with a fractured skull.

Play was dull on the course and Johnnie was taking a nap. A fellow caddy, lugging golf sticks, placed a ball on his head and after taking a couple of healthy swings, drove.

He missed the ball.

Doctors despaired of saving Johnnie's life.

Sleeps in Pool

Salt Lake City.—The police found K. N. Jensen, sixty, naked and asleep, floating around in a four-foot deep pool of natural warm sulphur water in a cave just north of Salt Lake City. A wooden pillow arrangement was used by Jensen to keep his head afloat. He told the police that he had spent his nights for months in the pool because it afforded relief from the cold weather.

Help That Achy Back!

Are you dragging around, day after day, with a dull, unceasing backache? Are you lame in the morning, bothered with headaches, dizziness and urinary disorders? Feel tired, irritable and discouraged? Then there's surely something wrong, and likely it's kidney weakness. Don't neglect it! Get back your health while you can. Use *Doan's Pills*, a stimulant diuretic to the kidneys. *Doan's* have helped thousands, and should help you. *Ask your neighbor!*

A California Case

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Veteran Bandmaster

Roscoe G. Ingraham of Rockland, Maine, at the age of eighty, is still a bandmaster and as usual will lead the Memorial day procession this year. Since he started his musical career 70 years ago by playing in a comb band, he has organized more than fifty brass bands, taught more than 1,000 pupils and marched from 12,000 to 15,000 miles in parades. Every town in Knox county has organized a band under Mr. Ingraham's leadership.

Knows How

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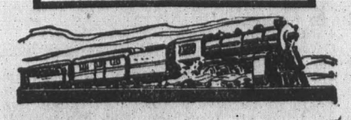

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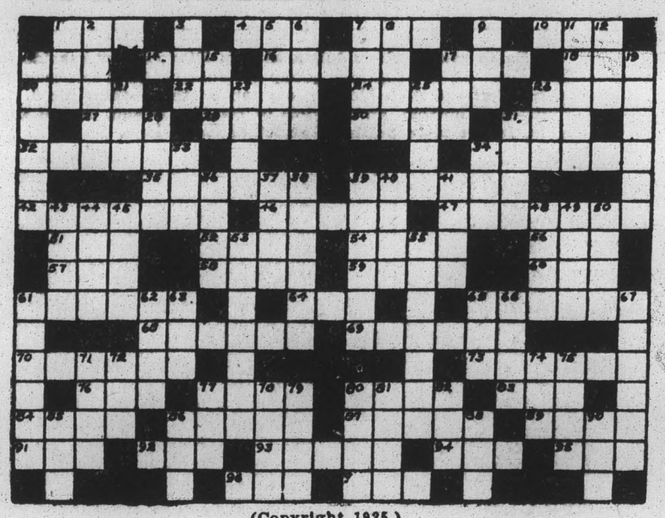
CROSS-WORD PUZZLES

HOW TO SOLVE A CROSS-WORD PUZZLE

When the correct letters are placed in the white spaces this puzzle will spell words both vertically and horizontally. The first letter in each word is indicated by a number, which refers to the definition listed below the puzzle. Thus No. 1 under the column headed "horizontal" defines a word which will fill the white spaces up to the first black square to the right, and a number under "vertical" defines a word which will fill the white squares to the next black one below. No letters go in the black spaces. All words used are dictionary words, except proper names. Abbreviations, slang, initials, technical terms and obsolete forms are indicated in the definitions.

"The Beach News" Cross Word Puzzle No. 64



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Horizontal.

1—Duet
4—Bird's beak
7—Assume
10—Steel-pointed mining tool
13—Hunting shoe
14—Genus
16—Equity
17—Organ
18—Bituminous shale
20—Intermittent fever
22—Four-wheel truck supporting the front end of a locomotive
24—Coral isle
26—More or less
27—Pony
29—Stake put up in poker
30—Rich vegetable mold
31—Energy
32—Combination of acetic acid with glycerine
34—Thick ointment of wax, etc.
35—Splendor
38—Wanton slaughter of unresisting game
42—Sickness
46—Pertaining to a foot
47—Error in printing or writing
51—Female rabbit
52—Mystic ornament worn by a Jewish high priest
54—Void
56—Attention
57—Period of time
58—Small cubes marked with dots
59—So be it
60—Floor covering
61—A mastiff
64—Grooved metal fastener
65—Species of duck
68—Neuter verbal noun
69—Captivate
70—In great plenty
73—Petty officer in charge of stores
76—Wrath
77—Glacier ice
80—Prison
83—Tiny
84—An island (poetic)
86—Symbol
87—Ancient, bygone
89—Amount
91—Abroad
92—Crude, cold and damp
93—Claim of right
94—Fermenting vat
95—Sailor
96—Nonsense
97—Lair

Vertical.

1—Sink
2—Sharp-pointed
3—Priestly vestment
5—Revise
6—Sauce, moisture
7—Face of a clock
8—Oil of roses
9—Comrade
11—Anaconda
12—Barrier
13—Kind of hat
15—Hawaiian tree
17—Shade tree
19—Ancient hymn sung at matins
21—Taste
23—Small stinging insect
25—Kiln for drying hops
26—Title
28—Door of Masonic lodge
31—Wear
33—Blue titmouse
34—Cad
36—Ornamental knob
37—Narrative
38—Repair again
39—Austro-Hungarian territory ruled by a ban
40—Sulphate of potassium and aluminum
41—Sorrow
43—Mental image
44—Forsaken
45—Meadow
48—Aerial
49—Snug
50—Incite
53—Little stream
55—Ten-armed cephaloped
61—Bathhouse
62—Monster
63—Move or stir
65—Kind of fish sauce
66—Boats' company
67—Boat propelled by three
71—Cadence
72—Natural metal
74—Over
75—Flesh of animals
77—The present time
78—Prohibit
79—Utter
80—In archery; the bull's eye
81—Sheltered side
82—To permit
85—Total
88—Headgear
88—Pile
90—Hit lightly

The solution will appear in next issue.

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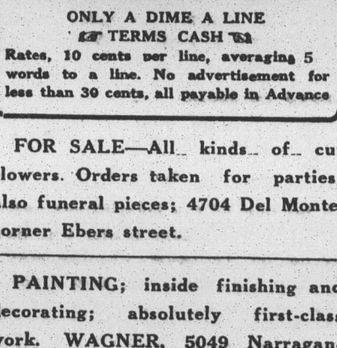
Solution of Puzzle No. 63



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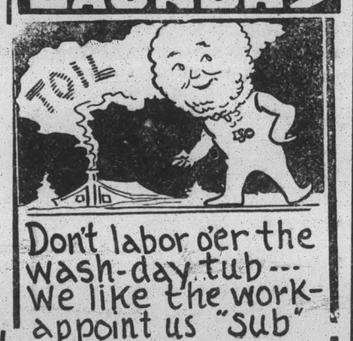

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HAPPY REUNION
BY "Y" CO-WORKERS

Dr. Fred, Dr. Charlotte and Miss Molly Baker are entertaining Miss Ruth Ragan, who is here for the summer on a furlough from her duties at the Y. W. C. A. at Osaka, Japan. Miss Baker and Miss Ragan were co-workers in "Y" activities in the Orient and they were joined for the week end by a third comrade, Mrs. Agnes Hanson, whose husband is a coffee dealer at Colon, Panama. While Miss Baker was general superintendent at the Yokohamo Y. W. C. A. headquarters Mrs. Hanson was her chief helper — her "understudy." These enthusiastic women have been having a wonderful Japanese "Y" reunion.

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Miss Byrd Taft of Lucinda street is visiting Mrs. Rob Baker in Berkeley.

Katherine's "Kollum"

By MRS. KIRK SMITH
Phone Point Loma 17

DOUBLE BAPTISM
FORMS IMPRESSIVE CEREMONY AT CAPATANOS HOME

Whenever and wherever real Grecian customs prevail in the realm of domesticity, there is a most pleasing and very positive assurance that picturesqueness invariably vies with impressiveness in the orthodox ceremonials. And such was the case last Sunday afternoon and evening at the splendid home of G. Capatanos in Bonita, where some two hundred or more guests gathered to celebrate a double baptism of babies, with Rev. Geronitos Coutouzes, of Los Angeles, officiating. The infants were a boy and a girl, the first to receive the christening ceremony being Andrew Capatanos, Junior, for whom Tom Moosios was the godfather and Mrs. Moosios was godmother. The girl baby was duly named Susanna Kostakos, and is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Kostakos, while her Godfather was Andrew Papainon with Mrs. Papainon as Godmother. Following the impressive baptismal ceremonies, performed in strict accordance with the ritual of the orthodox Greek church just before noon time an exceptionally elaborate banquet was served. The happy host and the charming hostess entertained their guests at a long table arranged under an arbor beautifully bedecked with flowers and ferns. Everybody was seated at one time and mirth and melody reigned supreme throughout the dinner period. The afternoon was devoted to Grecian dances in the glorious outdoors and an especially enjoyable supper was served before the twilight hour. The guests came from far and near and among them were Mr. and Mrs. Peter Pappas, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Moosios, W. J. Wilson and family, Mr. and Mrs. Kostakos, Mr. and Mrs. Papainon, J. E. Cliff, Ed C. Hall, Mr. and Mrs. H. E. Garrett, Mr. and Mrs. Pete Ciemoli, Mr. and Mrs. Gregory Trompas and family, Mr. and Mrs. K. G. Clark, Mr. and Mrs. J. W. Connors, Gus Morris, Wm. T. Scott, Mr. and Mrs. James Martekas, Frank R. Hamor, George and Tom Topouzes, Mr. and Mrs. G. Capatanos, Tom Berris, T. Capatanos, Reverend Gerontios Coutouzes of Los Angeles, and Mrs. Kirk Smith.

Great credit is due Mrs. Tom Moosios for the clever designing and making of about two hundred beautiful souvenirs of blue and white satin, gold engraved badges, which were pinned on each guest after the ceremony. Especial praise is also accorded to Mr. Tom Berris, the hearty and happy ancestor of the Topouzes family, who gave an excellent interpolation of the Original Greek dances. From beginning to end the joyous celebration proved one long to be cherished in the memory of all the participants in the generous hospitality of Mr. and Mrs. G. Capatanos.

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VISITORS FROM NORTH

Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wiechmann, of San Gabriel and Mrs. L. C. Harter of Los Angeles are guests of Mr. and Mrs. Virgil O. Harter, of Point Loma, and of Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Austin, 3011 Main street.

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LIVED LIKE PIONEERS

Miss Florence Hinz, national field secretary of the Camp Fire Girls is making a flying visit with Mr. and Mrs. J. Fearing Gill of Armada way, en route from Arizona to her home in Grand Rapids, Mich. Last summer Miss Hinz took a group of about 30 girls in an ox-drawn covered wagon over the old Lewis and Clark trail. The group camped all the way across and endeavored by living the same sort of life as the pioneers led, to revive the wonderful experiences of those other days.

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ENTERTAINED AT PICNIC

Mr. and Mrs. Edgar F. Hastings and daughters, Misses Alice and Josephine, entertained Mr. and Mrs. John Davidson and the Misses Eolia and May Davidson, Betty Shropshire and Elsie Moriarty at the annual picnic and flag-raising in beautiful El Monte oak grove.

HAWAII GREETS FLEET
WITH NEW "GOB" SONG

Mrs. Robert J. Sterling, of Saratoga avenue, has received from Hawaii a copy of a new fleet welcome song published there with the catchy title of "Gob." The words and music were written by Bert H. Carlson and the song was sent to Mrs. Sterling by James Fitzpatrick, who is a boatswain on the U. S. S. Seattle and makes his home with Mr. and Mrs. Sterling when in port here. "Bob" Sterling is a popular navy man connected with the staff of the destroyer Wood which will probably make the Australian cruise.

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O. B. WOMEN'S CLUB

The O. B. Women's Club will hold their regular monthly meeting next Monday night in the Sutcliffe Building on Abbott street.

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JOLLY BIRTHDAY PARTY

Mrs. Robert J. Sterling of 4857 Saratoga avenue, entertained several little guests last Tuesday afternoon in honor of her youngest son, Warren, who celebrated his seventh birthday anniversary. Games were played after which Mrs. Sterling served ice cream, delicious home made cake and bonbons. Little Warren received many nice gifts, and an enjoyable time was had by all.

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FROM OCEAN TO MISSION

Mrs. Annabel Carl and daughter, Miss Grace Carl, formerly of 4835 Niagara avenue, have moved to Mission Beach and are residing at 721 Newport court.

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JUNIOR McCOY ARRIVES

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. McCoy, of Pacific Beach are the proud parents of a fine baby boy, born Sunday, April 26, Dr. F. J. Ratty of Ocean Beach being in attendance.

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MASONIC CLUB DANCE.

The Masonic club of Pacific Beach, will give a dance this Saturday night at the Woman's Reading clubhouse. A musical program will be given and refreshments will be served.

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BURGLAR STEAL SAVINGS

A burglar forced his way into the home of Mrs. George Ussery, 4755 Pescadero street early this week and stole a savings loan account amounting to $10, according to her complaint filed with the police.

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DOING JURY DUTY

Dr. Leon Smith of 4655 Santa Monica avenue, W. H. Gage of 4820 Santa Monica avenue, Mrs. J. P. Van Houten of 4817 Saratoga avenue, and Mrs. Kirk Smith of 4829 Saratoga avenue, all were summoned last Tuesday to appear in Superior Court, Dept 4 to serve as jurors.

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MOVING TO MISSION HILLS

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Clarke and family of 4847 Cape May avenue expect to move to Mission Hills shortly.

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HOSTESS TO CAMP FIRE GIRLS

Miss Christy Hume entertained the Camp Fire Girls of the Point Loma School at her grandmother's home, 2944 Byron street on May Day. Those invited were Virginia Tombler, Julia Nelson, Alice Woodsom, Winifred Anderson, Bertha Quinn, Ellen Palmer, Helen Barksdale, Betty Plaister, Lillis Newell, Lucy Davenport, Phyllis Mirow, Mildred Noonan, Ruth and Marjory Newell, Bobby Plaister, Laura Nelson, Betty Barksdale, and Ellis Harbaugh. Miss Hume was assisted by her mother and grandmother. May Day games were played and appropriate refreshments daintily served.

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Mrs. Ray Penfold of Rosecrans street will have charge of the Thursday afternoon women's meeting of the Point Loma assembly. Miss Eolia Davidson is hostess for the occasion.

AFTER STORM

A night when my heart found singing,
Though time and tune went wrong
And fearsome tears would start . . .
Tired tears;
Now and again a song
Welled sweet and swift on laughters
from my heart.
It was a night of loud rain singing,
And what if words were blurred
By raucous cries of fright . . .
Strange fright?
At intervals I heard
The fluting of spring dance tunes all
that singing night.

WINIFRED DAVIDSON
in L. A. "Illustrated Time Magazine."

MISS ELSIE MORIARTY
WINS PRIZE FOR DESIGNS

In a contest which closed last Saturday Miss Elsie Moriarty of the State College won the prize of $20 offered for the best designs for a set of fourteen costumes for the play, "The Prince Who Learned Everything Out of Books," being put on by the College Women's Club. The judges were Miss Stella Klauber, Mrs. B. C. Sutton and Mr. Pierre de Jujet, who happened to be in town at the time. Mr. de Jujet was one of the art directors for the "Ten Commandments" and "The Thief of Bagdad." In this contest there were several professionals entered from San Diego and elsewhere, and a large number from the Senior High School. A similar prize of $20 was won by Adrian Madge of the State College for stage settings of two acts and five scenes for the same play. Miss Moriarty is making her home for the present with Miss May Davidson of Carleton street.

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CABRILLO MONUMENT
ON POINT LOMA

An excellent published report has been made by our own Winifred Davidson of the big barbecue and dedication of a new flag pole at El Monte park by Native Sons and Daughters on last Sunday. In a splendid detailed description of the enjoyable event special reference was made to the work of the Native Sons in marking historical spots throughout the state, particularly the Cabrillo monument to be erected on Point Loma in the near future.

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GOING TO CONVENTION

Ed F. Hastings, vice-president of the school board, and a highly esteemed resident of Point Loma, will leave next Monday on a motor trip to San Bernardino, where he will attend the state convention next week of the Native Sons. Mr. Hastings will be accompanied by his charming wife, and their journey north will be something in the nature of a well deserved vacation.

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NEW MINISTER HERE

Rev. F. S. Knopf of Los Angeles is supplying the pulpit of the Congregational church during the month of May. He has an apartment at the "Crags," where he may be called upon for any service he can render. It is very probable that Mr. Knopf will locate here permanently.

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WEEK-END VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. George Lehnar of Sierra Madra, and Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Roy of Long Beach were recent week-end visitors of Mr. and Mrs. Calvin Boyd of the Grace apartments on Niagara avenue.

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BROTHER AND SISTER
ENJOYING REUNION

After a separation of over thirty-seven years, during which time they had not seen each other, Mrs. Harry D. Colan of 5006 Niagara avenue, is sharing the joys of reunion with her brother, George W. Smith of Pine Cliff, Colo.

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CELEBRATES NINTH BIRTHDAY

Walter Smith, oldest son of Mr. and Mrs. J. T. Smith, of Santa Monica avenue, celebrated his birthday on Monday with a jolly party to his playmates. The kiddies spent a most pleasant time playing games, and nine very happy children sat down to the good things provided. The cake was pink and white, with nine candles burning brightly. Those present were Eva Smith, Dorothy Gage, Walter Smith, Tommy Sefton, Bobbie Sterling, James Oliver, Arthur Smith, Clement Gage and Warren Sterling.

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Miss Molly Baker, of Rosecrans street, is conducting a class in English among the foreign-born men at the Point Loma school. This work is an extension of the San Diego High School evening classes.

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BOY SCOUTS

Several scouts from troop 26, Point Loma, have informed local headquarters they will be present at B. S. O. R. training camp.

Re-organization is underway by troop 59 of Pacific Beach.

Silver fox patrol, in charge of Patrol Leader Frank Snyder, is far ahead of the other patrols in the patrol contest of troop 61. The winner of the contest will be given a weiner roast at Ocean Beach.

O. B. TROOP OBSERVES
NATIONAL FOREST WEEK

Boy Scout Troop 61 of Ocean Beach school observed National Forest week in a rather novel way. After a short meeting at the school the troop visited the yards of a well known San Diego lumber company where a full explanation was given of how the lumber was brought from the immense log rafts to the finished state. The troop enjoyed the trip and learned many things about lumber.

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Something to Think About

By F. A. WALKER

IMAGINATIVE ACTIVITY

IN ALL that has to do with masterful effort and extraordinary achievement, there must first be in the mind of the prospective operator an imaginative activity.

In order to write a book or a play, it is necessary, in the beginning of either, to set our imagination to work, going carefully, step by step, over the plots and characters, and picturing them to the limit of our ability as they appear when they make their obeisance to the public, for whose entertainment they have been produced.

This same principle applies to every form of labor, whether by the hand or the brain, the man or woman possessing the greater power of imagination having a decided advantage over those who constantly have to be told what to do and guided at every turning point.

The artist first visions his picture before he mixes his colors and takes up his brushes; the architect sees in his mind the outward form and proportions of a building or a bridge, prior to making the preliminary sketches, and so it goes at the start of everything created.

Without imaginative activity the world would soon retrograde.

The force of will, unless it is supported by imagination, rarely accomplishes anything above the ordinary—never pens a poem that will go down the ages, never chisels a statue whose grace and charm excites enduring adoration, never writes a song that millions of people love to sing over and over again long after the hand that wrote it is turned to dust.

The Pyramids, those impressive monuments near Cairo, Egypt, on the west side of the Nile, grew from imagination to imperishable piles which have excited the wonder and admiration of mankind for centuries.

"Where there is no vision," says the Book of Books, "the people perish."

If you are blessed with an imaginative mind, a conscious aiming at a result, give it free rein.

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AS TOLD BY Irvin S. Cobb

THE VOICE OF A PROPHET

A COMPANY of a division of colored troops was in heavy marching order awaiting the word to start for the front. It was to be their first actual contact with the enemy. One of the privates had somewhere picked up a copy of the Paris edition of the New York Herald.

"Doos dat dar paper say anything about us boys?" inquired a sergeant.

"It sho' do," answered the private, improvising. "It sez yere dat twenty-five thousand cullid troops is goin' over de top tonight suppo'ted by fifty-thousand Frenchmen."

From down the line came a third voice, saying:

"Well, I knows wut tomorrow's edition of dat paper's gwine say. It's gwine say, in big black letters, 'Fifty thousand Frenchmen trompled to death by twenty-five thousand niggers.'"

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WAITING TO HEAR FROM BILL

By HORATIO WINSLOW

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"AND now, father, get ready to hear some good news. In spite of the letters I've been writing I have not been feeling half as chipper as I let on, and yesterday it seemed to me I had just about reached the end of my string. I wanted to lie down and quit.

"You see, I had answered a 'help-wanted' ad that took me clear down to the Battery, only to find the job taken hours before I got there. As I had walked all the way to save carfare, you can believe I was tired and discouraged when I wandered over into the little Battery park and sat down. Well, while I was looking at the harbor, all of a sudden another fellow walked over and sat down beside me.

"It wasn't any time at all before we got to talking and I found out his name was Bill. 'Just Bill,' he said. 'Plain Bill sounds right to me.'

"Of course I told him about you and the farm, and how I'd been raised and the more I talked, the more interested he got.

"Finally he said, 'Say, Kid, it's lucky we met up together like this because I'm working for the Strangers' Aid society.'

"When I asked him what that was, he looked surprised.

"'Didn't you ever hear of the Strangers' Aid society? Why, it's a big organization here in New York City, that was got up to find jobs for strangers. I'm one of the agents that's sent around to pick out responsible people who want to settle in the city and find jobs for them.'

"'Do you think you can find me a job?'" I asked him.

"He looked me over and said: 'Are you willing to take any kind of a job?'

"I told him yes.

"'How about being a night-watchman?'

"At first the idea sort of took my breath away, because I hadn't come to New York for anything like that, but I remembered what you'd always told me about any kind of a living being better than no kind, so I put my fingers on the last fifteen cents I had left and nodded my head.

"'Got any references?' he asked next.

"So I showed him the letter from the Reverend Abrams, and the one Professor Saunderson wrote when I had to quit high school, and the two from Mr. Buckley.

"'Fair enough,' he said, after reading them. 'And how about your nerve?'

"I told him that was all right and let him feel my arm so he could see for himself the kind of muscle I had.

"'Well,' Bill sand, 'here's the proposition. Nobody knows about this job because the fellow just quit this morning. A big warehouse down on the river has got to have a new night-watchman. They'd rather have a man of their own than one of these agency watchmen.'

"'I see,' I interrupted, 'and they've asked the Strangers' Aid society to find a man for them?'

"He shook his head. 'No, that isn't it. The superintendent doesn't believe much in the Strangers' Aid society; that's why we're so anxious to find somebody that will make good. So, if you get the job, don't say a word about the society till you've made good. See?'

"When we got to the warehouse Bill let me go in alone to meet Mr. Accord, the superintendent. At first Mr. Accord seemed suspicious when I asked him for the job. Of course I could not tell Mr. Accord how I had found out that the job was open, but I showed him the letters and talked with him till he gave me the job.

"Bill was waiting for me outside the warehouse and took me to his rooming-house and we had a supper of crackers and cheese. He is the finest fellow I ever met. I would do anything to help him out, and I told him so. He says that all he asks me to do is 'the right thing.'

"The reason why they need a watchman at the warehouse is not money but silk. Sometimes they get big consignments worth more than a dollar a yard.

"'Keep everybody out,' Mr. Accord said, when he gave me his last instructions, and I certainly will."

LATER

"Father, I've just had a very funny experience. It is midnight and the end of my first six hours on the job. I've bolted my lunch in order to finish this letter and tell you of my first amusing adventure as a night watchman.

"At first nothing happened, and I was just beginning to feel at home in the place when I heard somebody tap at the door that fronts on the street.

"I opened it a crack, and there stood Bill.

"'Hello,' Bill said, 'open up.'

"I shook my head. 'Can't. Orders are not to let anybody in.'

"'Aw,' he said. 'I don't count. A Strangers' Aid man can go anywhere.'

"Of course I saw right off what Bill was driving at; he wanted to find out if I was doing my duty or if I was easy enough to be imposed on. I stiffened up.

"'You can't come in here,' I said, 'it's against the rules.' All the time I was laughing up my sleeve to think I'd seen through his little joke.

"He pretended to get very angry. 'Come on,' he said, 'do the right thing. Cut out the funny stuff.'

"I was about to explain that I was doing the right thing, when who should come along but a big policeman. As he started across the street toward us, Bill jumped away as though he were afraid of him, at the same time scowling at me.

"It was all so comical, for, of course, underneath his scowl he was really laughing and I almost burst out laughing myself. Tomorrow I will go where he lives and jolly him good because I was too smart for him.

"After Bill left I had a talk with the policeman, who warned me to be careful of toughs who might slip into the water and then climb up the piles onto the end of the wharf. But I am not afraid.

"Must close now, father, and begin watching my property once more. Bill told me to do the 'right thing,' and that is just what I am going to do."

(From the Dead Letter Office)

"Bill, I am writing this, not only because I have good news for you but I want to know what has happened to you.

"Every day for the past two weeks I have gone down to your rooming-house and each time Mrs. Burke has told me that she has not seen you. Also, she says she has never heard of the Strangers' Aid society, and so cannot give me the address. That is why I am sending this letter simply in care of the society, hoping that the post office may be able to supply street and number.

"Last night when I dropped in before going on the job, I found Mrs. Burke was going to sell your stuff to pay your room-rent; but I knew you would not like this so I paid her six dollars and took your clothes and satchel over to my room where you can get them when you come back, which I hope will be soon.

"But now listen to the good news.

"The last time I saw you, that first night when you tested me to see if I was honest, I began to figure out something you said. You remember you told me you expected me to 'do the right thing.'

"Well, I thought, am I doing the right thing by writing to my father while I am supposed to be on guard as a night-watchman? I decided I wasn't. So, finishing the letter hurriedly, I began to patrol the warehouse as though a bunch of pirates were getting ready to kidnap me. (Ha ha!)

"It was after twelve. Passing into the moonlight from the shadow of the warehouse—I could not have been more than six feet from the edge of the wharf—when all of a sudden, for no reason at all, I ducked to one side. As I twisted my head, a big piece of iron flew past my right ear, hitting me a little on the shoulder. If it had struck my head it would have caved in my skull.

"For about a hundredth of a minute I couldn't figure what had happened, but as I struggled to get on my feet I saw somebody leaving the shadow with a revolver held the wrong end. I suppose he was going to finish the job.

"If I had been as wise then as I am now I would have pulled my gun and shot at him, but I didn't want to hurt him, so all I did was to peg my club in his direction. It must have caught him in the face, because he spluttered and turning his revolver began to fire.

"Why I was not killed, I don't know, because he banged away three times before I drew my gun, and once after.

"But I was the better shot. I fired only once and that was enough. He pulled the trigger again, dropped his gun and went whirling and staggering around as though he had been punched in the wind.

"All at once I felt sorry for him and tried to catch him before he fell. But I was not quick enough. He wobbled back, tripped and fell down fifteen feet into the black water. I yelled for help but of course nobody came because the place was locked. I was going to dive over myself and try to get him, but I was glad I didn't because, while I was standing there, I became faint, and pretty nearly fell over the side myself.

"A little later a whole crowd of watchmen and cops and other night workers were shaking me by the hand and offering to buy me drinks and telling me I was a hero.

"So you see, Bill, I have made good, though I am more sorry than anybody knows to think I had to make good by shooting a fellow man. Well, he tried to kill me, and got it himself; that's all there is to it.

"But, anyhow, you don't have to worry about this; here's what I want you to think about, Bill: There is a big chance here for men who are reliable and are willing to start at the bottom and work up. Next week, Mr. Accord, who thinks I am all right, is going to give me a chance in the office. When I told him I had one of the finest fellows in New York for a friend, he said he would be willing to try you out at my old place.

"Of course, at first this may not mean as much money as you are getting at present, but think of the chance of advancement! And perhaps you may be able to work for the Strangers' Aid society on the side.

"Think of it, Bill—fifteen years from now we may be partners, old scout, and I'd never ask for a better partner than you because you're the finest friend a fellow ever had.

"I'm waiting to hear from you, Bill."

Your Last Name

IS IT HUBBARD?

THIS is a surname derived from a very old English personal name, the original form of which was Hygebeorht, with the meaning of bright mind. Hugh and Hubert are derived from this source.

Among the surnames derived from Hygebeorht are Hubert, Hubbard, Hibbert and Hobart.

A William Hubbard, born in Ipswich, England, in 1594, was the progenitor of many of the Americans of the name. Apparently he was a Puritan. At all events, he left home at the age of thirty-six, in 1635, to make his home in the new world. He settled in Boston. His eldest son, William, who was fourteen years old when they came to the new world, was one of the first students at Harvard and graduated fourth in the class of 1642. He was minister of the church in Ipswich, Mass., wrote a valuable history of Massachusetts Bay colony, and acted as president of Harvard for a short time. He married a daughter of Rev. Nathaniel Rogers, also a prominent New England divine.

Chester D. Hubbard, United States congressman from Connecticut before the Civil war, was one of his descendants, as was Joseph S. Hubbard, a celebrated astronomer.

Elbert Hubbard, of East Aurora fame, was a descendant of a George Hubbard, Englishman, who settled in Connecticut in 1620, 15 years before William Hubbard.

Among the Hubbards in this country there have been many congressmen, senators and governors. John Hubbard was governor of Maine, Lucius F. was governor of Minnesota. Richard B. Hubbard, member of a Virginia family of the name, was governor of Texas, and a Richard D. was governor of Connecticut.

In England the name is an old and distinguished one, being the family name of the first Lord Addington, born in 1805, who was the son of a rich Russian merchant, member of an old Essex county family of Hubbard.

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SCHOOL DAYS

WHATCHA DOIN', FRECK? WHATCHA ROOTIN' AROUND IN THE GRASS FOR? HUNTIN' FOR SUMPIN? WHATCHA DOIN'?
I'M WASHIN' MY FRECKLES OFF IN THE MAY DAY DEW— I'M TIRED OF 'EM, SO I'M GONNA GIT RID OF 'EM. ARE THEY ALL GONE YET? IS MY FRECKLES ALL GONE? KIN YOU SEE ANY NOW? IS ANY LEFT?
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IN THE BEAUTY PARLOR

Love's Seasons

By DOUGLAS MALLOCH

I KISSED her when we strolled the field,
The meadowlands of May,
When kiss and laughter both concealed
The things we dared not say—
I kissed her in the spring of life
Before I thought of house or wife.

I kissed her in the heat of June
When ev'ry rose was red,
When hearts beat, oh, so wild a tune!
By youth's glad music led—
I kissed her when she dared to turn
Her eyes to mine and let them burn.

I kissed her in the summer night,
The night of stars and flowers,
When peace and joy and calm delight
And comradeship were ours,
When comradeship had come to bless,
Desire had turned to tenderness.

I kissed her when her cheeks ran rain,
When sorrow overflowed,
And saw the sun come forth again,
And roses to the road—
And sweetest time of all appears
The time I kissed away her tears.

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Mother's Cook Book

It is easy to tell the toiler
How best he can carry his pack;
But no one can rate a burden'd weight
Until it has been on his back.
—Ella Wheeler Wilcox.

EVERYDAY GOOD THINGS

A SOUP should be served in every family at least once a day. With the wealth of vegetables and meats one may have a different one nearly every day of the year, using fruits for hot weather.

Celery Soup.

Cut up three cupfuls of celery into small pieces, bruise with a potato masher, cook in boiling water until tender, then rub as much as possible through a sieve. Scald two and one-half cupfuls of milk with a slice of onion, then remove the onion and add the milk to the celery pulp and liquor. Bind with three tablespoonfuls of butter, cooked with three tablespoonfuls of flour; season with salt and white pepper and add a beaten egg just before serving.

Stewed Beef Heart and Prunes.

Pour boiling water over a beef heart and let it stand for ten minutes. Trim off the fat and arteries and cut into pieces for stewing. Dredge with flour, brown in a little fat and place in a deep Scotch kettle with enough hot water to cover. Add one cupful of soaked stewed prunes which have been pitted, season with salt and pepper and stew slowly until tender, using care that it does not burn.

Beef Souffle.

Prepare two cupfuls of white sauce and let it stand to cool. Take two cupfuls of chopped beef (the rougher portions may be used for this), mix with one teaspoonful of salt, the same of chopped parsley, and onion juice. Add two beaten egg yolks to the meat, beat the whites until stiff and carefully fold them in after adding the white sauce, and one cupful of fresh bread crumbs. Turn the mixture into a well-buttered baking dish and bake in a hot oven fifteen minutes. Serve at once in the dish in which it was baked.

Pear and Cream Cheese Salad.

Arrange halves of canned pears with a cube of tart jelly in the cavity of each, place round side up on a nest of lettuce. Cream a brick of cream cheese, adding enough of cream to soften so that it may be spread like frosting over the pears. Dip a knife in boiling water occasionally to make the process easier. Serve with a spoonful of mayonnaise on the side of the salad plate.

Ocean Chicken Pie.

Take a large can of tuna fish, flake it and mix with the following: Two tablespoonfuls of flour stirred into two tablespoonfuls of butter bubbling hot; when well blended add one cupful of milk, season to taste. Cook two diced carrots, one medium-sized onion, chopped; two small, diced potatoes and a cupful of peas. Line a baking dish with a rich pastry, put the vegetables in layers with the fish, mixed with the white sauce. Cover with an upper crust, leaving an opening and bake until the crust is brown.

1840 Clam Chowder.

Take one-half pound of salt pork, cut into small cubes and fry in a deep kettle until well-browned; add six medium-sized onions sliced, and fry these until brown; now add three quarts of boiling water, six large potatoes cut into dice, one-half a can of tomatoes; boil until the onions and potatoes are tender, then add one tablespoonful of minced parsley and two tablespoonfuls of minced celery; add three dozen clams chopped fine, their juice, and salt and pepper to season. Serve with slices of lemon. This serves twelve persons. And fish may be cooked in the same way, if clams are not to be obtained.

Nellie Maxwell

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The Young Lady Across the Way

The young lady across the way says she saw in the paper that the coal strike is being paid for now, so she supposes it won't cost the consumer anything.

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NOVEL CROWNS ADORN CLOCHES; UNUSUAL IN NOVELTY SWEATERS

IF IN doubt as to whether the cloche is still in fashion, take a stroll down Broadway or Main street and tabulate for one's self. However, there is a difference between the now and the then of every popular cloche. Analyzing the situation, the small cloche is keeping favor with the public by offering such a fascinating medley of novel crowns, one's interest is not allowed to lag.

For a long time fashion has thus been spending its ingenuity on crowns, brims being considered a negligible quantity, but lo! with the coming of spring brims have burst into sudden glory, that is as far as depth and size are concerned. The latest pokes are mostly brims, and they are getting more so as the season advances. In many instances of these new bonnet shapes, the brim is turned up at the back. Indeed, the turned-up back brim is a definite style tendency. Many of the large hats in the advance guard of summer millinery emphasize this feature. The idea is demonstrated in that charming poke bonnet shown last in the accompanying illustration. This model uses taffeta silk for its brim and fine silk haircloth for the gown. Note how the crown is fitted to the head.

Of the three modish cloches completing this group, it may be said that the crown in each instance shows great depth, this being a characteristic feature of the majority of little shapes. One traces the cloche trend in each brim, although presented in various moods of roll-off-face—for hat number two, slight droop for number one brim, with a restricted turban-bonnet effect defined in the tailored silk model.

Not only do brims roll high at the back in last-minute chapeaux, but the trimming itself rises in tall bows and erect effects directly over the coiffure. This is especially true of the larger-brimmed shapes which are "on the way" for summer conquests. Particularly are soft hair bodies folded up at the back, held into position by soft silken loops or under masses of stemmed roses.

The many "sometimes different" ideas created by knitted outerwear stylists each season somewhat contradict the "nothing-new-under-the-sun" theory. Perhaps the artistically scarfed sweater in this picture is the "exception to the rule," for at a glance it proclaims the unusual. The thrill of newness which it affords is no doubt due to the unique placement of a fine white scarf or sash which is matched, as you will observe, to the cuffs and pocket flap. Not only in name, for this model is known throughout fashiondom as the "student prince" sweater, but in appearance this fetching knitted and sashed blouse is sure of appeal to women of artistic temperament. Indications are that before the season is far advanced the "student prince" sweater will be a pronounced favorite.

There are innumerable other lovely and out-of-the-ordinary things among fashionable knitwear this season. For instance, there are new lacy one-piece frocks knitted of fine rayon which are adorable. They come in "delicious" colorings and their distinctive note is the long knitted sleeve.

The knitted scarf and shawls are marvels of beauty, being lavishly befringed and decidedly colorful. These partake of shawl-like square shapes. Of course, they are going to prove irresistible to the summer girl, for they are ideal over lightsome frocks.

Adding to the glory of things knitted are winsome hat, scarf and blouse sets, whose striking colors enliven the scene of picturesque fashion. Magenta with white bespeaks the last word in color combinations in these sets.

Among sweater novelties a favorite is knitted of white mohair. The collar, cuffs and bindings are of gaily plaided flannel.

Knitted coats in fancy constructions are wonderfully popular, and becoming more so, as time progresses. These abound in novelty touches, such as all-over jacquard patternings, pipings of gold leather, while fancy knitted stitch contributes greatly to their interest. The chenille knitted coat is the latest. Last minute modes stress the knitted suspender skirt.

JULIA BOTTOMLEY.

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Novel Crowns and Turned Up Brims.

Here's Something Different.

PROPER MANNER FOR MAKING CUP OF TEA

Freshly Boiled Water Is of Much Importance.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

Water for tea making should be freshly boiled, says the United States Department of Agriculture. Water that has been boiling for some time is distinctly flat and insipid. Have two earthenware teapots, both warmed previously by pouring hot water in and allowing it to stand until the pot is to be used. The amount of tea required depends on the individual taste and on the kind and quality of the tea. Measure the required quantity of tea in the hot pot (from which the warming water has been emptied), pour on as many cups of freshly boiling water as are needed, steep from three to five minutes, and strain into the other hot pot. Three minutes will usually allow most of the aroma and taste to develop without an excess of tannin, which makes the tea astringent.

Serving Afternoon Tea on a Home-made Tea Wagon.

When using English breakfast or China congou tea, one level teaspoon to each cup of water is satisfactory. A five-minute brewing gives more body, but the three-minute brewing makes a more delicate cup of tea. China congou has less tannin than the green teas and less than the India and Ceylon black teas.

Tea should never be boiled. After straining off the leaves, the pot should be kept hot in a tea cosey. Tea served with cream should be stronger than tea served with lemon.

Cheese Salad

1½ cupfuls cream cheese.
2 tablespoonfuls corn oil.
¾ teaspoonful salt.
¼ teaspoonful paprika.
½ cupful pecans.
½ cupful green pepper.
½ cupful pimento.
½ cupful mayonnaise.
½ cupful evaporated milk chilled and whipped.

Blend oil with grated and whipped cream cheese, salt and paprika. Add chopped nuts, green pepper and pimento. Blend with mayonnaise and fold in whipped evaporated milk. Place in mold and pack in equal parts of ice and salt for 3 hours. Serve on lettuce leaves garnished with parsley or water cress.

Earning Money at Home by Making Your Own Soap

In farm butchering there is usually a large quantity of fat scraps which would be a loss if not utilized for making soap. Also, there are the fat scraps and trimmings from bacons, hams and all home-cured meats, which can be saved and made into soap. The fat scraps saved from fall until spring will amount to considerable, and with these you will be able to make enough soap, for all family needs, to last at least six months. This would be quite a saving.

An excellent recipe for making a hard white soap, as good as any commercial soap you ever bought, is given below:

20 pounds of clean melted fat (free from salt);
4 quarts of soft water in which are dissolved:
4 13-ounce cans of lye and
4 heaping tablespoonfuls of powdered borax.

Let the lye and borax solution stand until cold. It is best to dissolve the lye the day before you want to make the soap, as it takes the solution quite some time to cool. The grease should be just warm enough to be in liquid state. Add the lye solution slowly and stir mixture moderately until it reaches the consistency of honey. Now pour in cloth-lined box to harden. When partly hardened cut in bars but do not remove from box. Cover with an old rug or blanket and let stand 24 hours, when it may be removed. If possible, let soap stand in a warm dry place for a month before using. Remember, the longer the soap ages the better. It is milder and lasts longer. This recipe will make you about 100 bars of hard white soap, worth more than $5, and you will get a great deal of satisfaction out of seeing the results of your own handiwork.

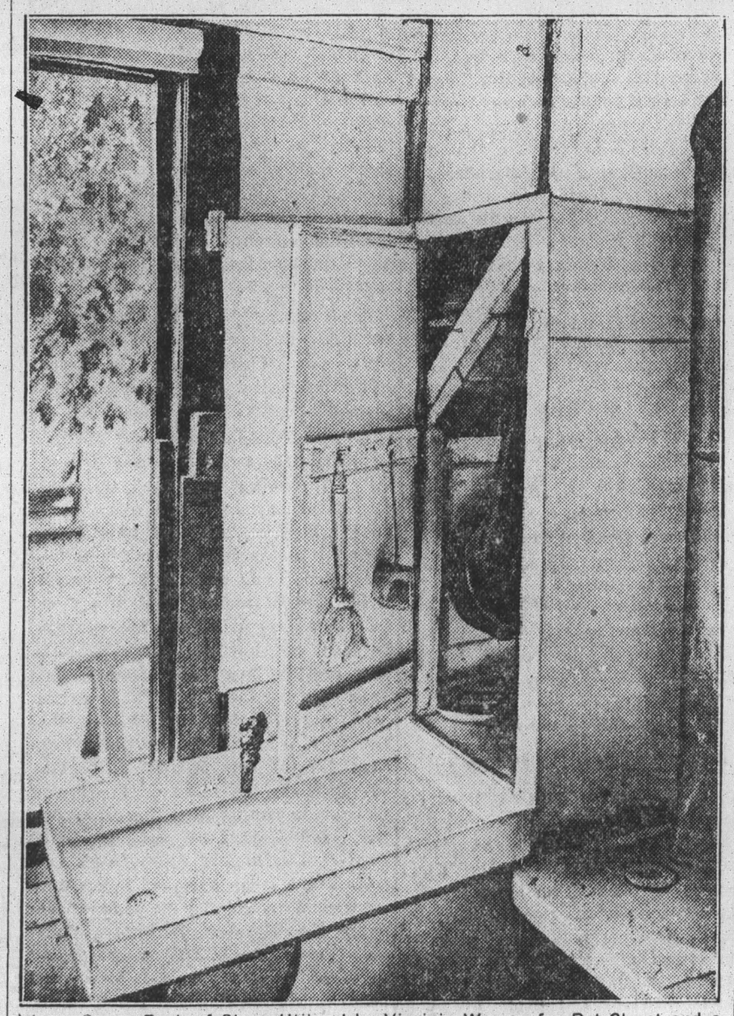
Baking Rhubarb Before Canning Is Ideal Plan

Try baking rhubarb before canning it—you will like the flavor. Wash the rhubarb stalks and cut them into half-inch lengths. Add one-fourth as much sugar as rhubarb, by measure, and bake until tender in a covered dish. Then pack in hot jars, and process for five minutes in a hot-water bath—that is, in any covered vessel of sufficient depth for the jars or cans, when set on a rack or false bottom, to be completely immersed while processing. The time is not counted until the water surrounding the jars has begun to boil actively.

What might be called the "hot pack" is now considered the best method of canning for all vegetables and a number of fruits, although certain fruits may be packed cold if boiling sirup is poured over them in the containers and the processing is continued for 20 minutes or more according to the product.

Directions for canning the common kinds of fruits and vegetables are given in Miscellaneous Circular 24, which may be obtained by writing to the United States Department of Agriculture at Washington, D. C.

VIRGINIA WOMAN UTILIZES WASTE SPACE



Waste Space Back of Stove Utilized by Virginia Woman for Pot Closet and a Warming Closet Above Where She Raises Her Bread.

(Prepared by the United States Department of Agriculture.)

The corner between the stove and the wall is almost never utilized. In most kitchens it is too small and awkward to get at, so nothing is kept there. In Mrs. E. L. Johnson's home in Powhatan county, Va., this waste space was made even more hopeless because an old, unused staircase ran up to the second floor just there. The stovepipe was run through this staircase, the wood lined with metal to make it fireproof, and the space under the tread was made into a closet for pots and pans, mop, soap shaker and other accessories to dishwashing. A homemade sink was installed, taking advantage of the good light from the window. She has a barrel waterworks. There was another space available above the pot cupboard and as the heat from the stove pipe is just right for a warming closet, Mrs. Johnson raises her bread there.

Mrs. Johnson also made herself a wheel tray from an old washstand and a high stool. She took all the old paint off her kitchen cabinet, enameled it white and painted a number of coffee cans for cereals and supplies, thus making her kitchen very compact and convenient. The picture was taken by the United States Department of Agriculture.

WOMEN NEED SWAMP-ROOT

Thousands of women have kidney and bladder trouble and never suspect it.

Women's complaints often prove to be nothing else but kidney trouble, or the result of kidney or bladder disease.

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Aerial Made Useful

A new use for radio was discovered by the Brunswick (Maine) fire department when it arrived at the farm of Fred E. Harmon in response to a telephone message telling of a chimney fire. They found Mr. Harmon's two sons on the roof, while Mrs. Harmon and daughter were filling pails with water which were hauled to the top of the building by means of the aerial which had been conveniently attached to the chimney.

More Green Food Eaten

An increase in the United States of 400,000 acres of vegetables in 1924 as compared with 1918 shows that we are all eating more green food. The increase of lettuce from 16,800 acres to some 63,000 acres proves positively that our national appetite for salads is on the increase. Probably less meat and white flour and more salad and fruit will not injure our national digestion.

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Noiseless Plane

British aviation experts have virtually eliminated the deafening roar of airplanes in flight, according to Popular Science Monthly. By a new invention it is said that exhaust gases are permitted to escape noiselessly without lessening power or speed. A noiseless propeller also has been devised by an ingenious arrangement of gears.

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By Helen Mae Franks

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"On the arrival of the 'Hassler' a special committee of the Chamber of Commerce was appointed to communicate with her officers on the subject of the survey, which possesses a special interest for our community. On the completion of the map Captain Coffin met the committee, last evening, and exhibited it to them, explaining the result of his survey which is no less gratifying than remarkable. The survey shows that there has been no change whatever in the harbor since the last survey, nearly twenty years ago. The depth of water at all points corresponds precisely with that of the Coast Survey Chart of 1859. Not only so, but contrary to the general supposition, the 'flats' at the delta of the San Diego river have not encroached at all upon the water line as marked on the old chart. This fact, that there has been absolutely no change in twenty years, is regarded by the officers of the 'Hassler' as an extraordinary one, and as demonstrating with peculiar force the especial excellence of the harbor. Whatever sediment may have been carried into the bay in the freshet immediately prior to the construction of the dam turning the river into False Bay, has been carried out into the ocean by the tidal current. The harbor is today exactly what it was when last surveyed.

"The 'Hassler' is now engaged in surveying the bar and approaches in the harbor. The results of this work will probable be mapped in about a fortnight."

It was April 3 before the "Hassler" was ready to leave San Diego, ". . . having completed the survey of the harbor and its approaches upon which her officers have been engaged during the past two months. This survey has been very thorough and complete, and has not only confirmed the results of the last survey, 24 years ago, but has demonstrated a very positive improvement since that time. It is found that 18 inches more water can be carried over the bar than is given in the old chart, thus showing that San Diego harbor has precisely the same depth of water on the bar as New York harbor, the chief seaport of the continent. Captain Coffin and his officers entertained a large party of ladies and gentlemen in an elegant manner on board the 'Hassler' yesterday afternoon on the eve of the steamer's departure. General regret is expressed that she leaves so soon. Her officers have been constantly occupied during her stay here, and have had but brief time ashore. A finer set of gentlemen cannot be found in the Navy."

The "Shubrick"

July 12th the Union reports that the U. S. Lighthouse tender "Shubrick," which had been looking after the buoys at the entrance to the harbor, came up the bay the afternoon before and came alongside the steamship company's wharf. The "Shubrick" reached San Francisco in 1858, and her visit to this bay in 1878 marked her twenty-first year of service. According to George P. Putnam in his "Lighthouses and Lightships" she was

". . . the first lighthouse tender on the Pacific Coast and the first steam tender in the Lighthouse service . . . a side-wheel steamer built at the Philadelphia Navy Yard in 1857 and constructed of live-oak and white oak, one hundred and forty feet long, twenty-two feet beam, and nine feet draft. This vessel sailed from Philadelphia December 23, 1857, passed through the Straits of Magellan, and arrived at San Francisco May 27, 1858. An hour after leaving Rio Janeiro yellow fever broke out on board; there were eight cases, and one of these, an assistant engineer, died. In the Straits of Magellan head winds and boisterous weather were encountered, nearly all of the coal was consumed, and it was necessary to cut a considerable quantity of wood in order to make the port of Valparaiso. The Shubrick carried several guns, for besides lighthouse work she was 'also, in case of incursions of the Indians from the British dominions in the Straits of Fuca and vicinity, to protect the keepers and citizens in that quarter against their attacks.' The Shubrick remained in service until January, 1886, performed much useful work, and had an eventful career. She was used as a revenue cutter from 1861 to January, 1867. After being returned to lighthouse duty the tender, loaded with materials for the lighthouse on Cape Mendocino, was driven ashore thirty miles south of the cape in a fog, striking a sunken boulder with such force as to fix it in the port bow so firmly that, to remove it, blasting had to be resorted to. The vessel was hauled on the beach for temporary repairs, and later taken to San Francisco and rebuilt. Until 1880 the Shubrick cared for the lighthouse work on all of the Pacific Coast, but in 1880, on the arrival of the first Manzanita at San Francisco, the Shubrick's work was confined to the Oregon and Washington Coast. Six years later, after it had been reported that 'she is unable to make steam enough to tow a first-class whistling bouy into position,' the Shubrick was sold and burned to get the metal from her fastenings."

So here in 1878 we see the "Shubrick" in port, in the midst of her active career. In November of the same year she was in again, with "Commander Casey, U. S. N. Lighthouse inspector, who is on his tour of inspection. The 'Shubrick' will remain until the buoys have been inspected and repaired." During her stay that time she put down three new buoys, besides repairing the old ones and left immediately for San Francisco.

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MISSION BEACH POSTOFFICE IN NEW QUARTERS

Postmaster Frank Challand has moved the postoffice at Mission Beach into larger and better quarters in the new building at the corner of Mission boulevard and Pismo Court. The mail office takes up but half of the ground floor of the two-story structure, a drug store having leased the other part. Modern apartments occupy the second floor.

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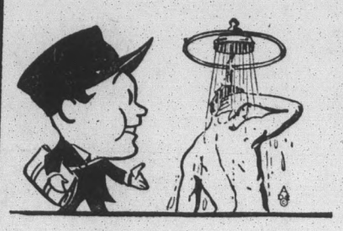

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